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Animal Damage Management Board to meet in Cheyenne

The Wyoming Animal Damage Management Board (ADMB) will meet January 10 and 11 at the Cheyenne Business Center.

Wednesday, January 10, the Board will review predator management district funding applications as well as a rabies grant application from Johnson County. They will also discuss new policies and hear a presentation on rabies surveillance. The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. and will adjourn at 5 p.m. Thursday, January 11, the Board will complete 2007 strategic planning. The meeting will begin at 8:15 a.m. and is expected to adjourn by noon. A public comment period is scheduled prior to adjournment on Wednesday.

The twelve voting representatives on the Board, their towns, and the areas they represent are:

- Terry Cleveland, Cheyenne, co-chairman and Director of the Wyoming Game and Fish Department
- John Etchepare, Cheyenne, co-chairman and Director of the Wyoming Department of Agriculture
- Bob Innes, Gillette, domestic sheep producer
- Niels Hansen, Rawlins, cattle producer
- Gene Hardy, Douglas, president of the State Predatory Animal Advisory Board
- Helen Jones, Buffalo, Wyoming Board of Agriculture
- Rod Krischke, Casper, Wildlife Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture
- Ben Lamb, Casper, sportsmen, outfitters and hunters
- Dan McCarron, Rock Springs, urban
- Jim Schellinger, Sheridan, non-consumptive user/wildlife
- Kerry Powers, Lusk, Wyoming Game and Fish Commission
- Jim Collins, Alcova, sportsmen, outfitters and hunters

The federal ex-officio, non-voting, members to the board nominated by their respective agencies and appointed by the governor are:

- Jane Darnell, Cheyenne, U.S. Forest Service
- Dave Roberts, Cheyenne, Bureau of Land Management
- Dominic Domenici, Casper, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

For a complete agenda or more information about this meeting, visit the ADMB website at www.wyadmb.com or contact Hank Uhden at (307) 777-6433.

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